

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.

Claims 1-9 and 15-30

Applicant has cancelled claims 1-9 and 15-30 without prejudice.

Claim Objections

The Office (page 6) has objected to claims 10-14 as being dependent upon a rejected base claim.

Applicant has rewritten in independent form claims 10-14 to include all of the limitations of the base claim.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully submitted that the amendments place the claims in better condition for allowance or appeal and therefore may be entered under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Applicant respectfully submits that all claims are in condition for allowance, and requests allowance of all claims.

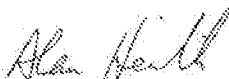
The Examiner is invited to call Alan Heimlich at 408 253-3860 if there remains any issue with allowance. Cleartext email communication is authorized.

Respectfully submitted,

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